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ODISHA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION  
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BHUBANESWAR-751 012

NOTIFICATION

The 6th March 2013

No. 4964—OERC-Engg.-92/2003(Vol.VII)—In exercise of powers conferred on it under Section 181 of the Electricity Act, 2003, the Odisha Electricity Regulatory Commission had framed OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code, 2004 which were published in the *Odisha Gazette* extraordinary No.710, dated the 28th May 2004. The said Regulations were amended seven times which were published in *Odisha Gazette* Nos. 1261, 1266, Dt. 22-9-2004, No.557, Dt. 24-3-2007, No.1688, Dt. 17-9-2007 on the same matter on correction of some typographical error), No. 2066, Dt. 31-10-2007, No. 1586, Dt. 26-10-2009, No. 1689, Dt.12-10-2010 and No. 1203, Dt. 19-5-2011 respectively. The said Supply Code has categorised consumers basing on the purpose of supply. In the meanwhile nature and purpose of supply of certain categories of consumers have changed. Hence the Regulation 80(5) (i) & (ii) of OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code, 2004 required to be amended for in the interest of the general public.

Accordingly, the Commission hereby notifies the following amendments of the OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code, 2004 for information of the general public :—

**1. Short title and commencement :**

- (i) These Regulations may be called the OERC Distribution (Conditions of Supply) Code (8th Amendment), 2013.
- (ii) It shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

**2. Amendment to Regulation 80 (5) (i) & (ii) :**

80 (5) (i) Irrigation Pumping and Agriculture : This category relates to supply of power for pumping of water in lift irrigation, flow irrigation and for lifting of water from wells/borewells,

dug-wells, nallahs, streams, rivulets, rivers, exclusively for agricultural purposes in areas other than areas coming under Municipality / NAC limit of the State.

80 (5) (ii) Allied Agricultural Activities: This category relates to supply of power for Aquaculture (which includes Pisciculture/ Prawn culture), Horticulture, Floriculture, Sericulture, Animal Husbandry and Poultry in areas other than coming under Municipality/NAC limit of the State. Activities such as ice factories, chilling plants, cold storages, cattle/poultry/fish feed units and food /agri products processing units are excluded.

By order of the Commission

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